

## SOCIETY RETURNING TO THE CAPITAL FOR GAY WINTER SEASON

Ranks of Resident and Diplomatic Sets Are Being Rapidly Filled.

### AUTUMN WEDDINGS PLANNED

Army Activity Responsible for Changes in Military Set. Many Officials Away.

The Minister from Switzerland and Madame Ritter will reach Washington Thursday, after spending several weeks at Lake Placid, N. Y.

The Minister from Denmark will arrive in Washington next Monday. Mr. Brun spent the summer in Bar Harbor, where the legation has been established for several seasons. He will be accompanied at his return to Washington by Count Moltke, recently appointed attaché of the legation, who joined him at Bar Harbor.

The Counselor of the State Department, Frank L. Polk, who, with Mrs. Polk, is in Bar Harbor, will return to Washington at the end of the week. He expects to stop en route home in New London, Conn., to attend to some business in connection with the American-Mexican joint commission. Mrs. Polk had not planned to return for several weeks, but may decide to come to Washington with Mr. Polk because of the recent outbreak of infantile paralysis in Bar Harbor.

**Dinner for Lansings.**  
The Secretary of State and Mrs. Lansing were the guests of honor at a dinner Saturday evening given by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lombard at the Shoreham. Mrs. Lansing's nephew, John Foster Dulles, who spent the week end with her, was among the guests.  
Secretary and Mrs. Lansing will be joined shortly by Mrs. Lansing's parents, Gen. and Mrs. John W. Foster, who left their summer home at Rockwood Harbor, today to motor leisurely to Washington.

The Secretary of Labor and Mrs. Wilson, with Miss Agnes Hart Wilson, Miss Mary Wilson and the younger members of their family, will return to Washington this week after spending several weeks at their home at Bloomsburg, Pa.

Mrs. William F. Draper was hostess at luncheon yesterday at her villa at Newport.

### Home From Bar Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Glover, accompanied by their daughter, Mme. Rene de Maes van Swinderen, and her two children, have returned to Washington from York Harbor, Me., and are at Westover. Mr. and Mrs. Glover's country home near Washington.

After a visit of ten days or two weeks in Washington, Mme. van Swinderen and her children will sail to join Jonkheer van Swinderen, Minister of the Netherlands at London.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Glover, Jr., who were with Mrs. Glover at York Harbor, have also returned to town and have opened Orchard Hill, their home in Massachusetts avenue extended.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Richardson Clover and the Misses Glover will close their cottage at Elberon, N. J., the first week in October and will return to their home in New Hampshire avenue. The marriage of Miss Beatrice Clover and Capt. Thomas Holcombe, Jr., U. S. M. C., will take place in November.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen were the guests in whose honor Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Choate entertained at a reception Saturday at their home in Stockbridge, Mass.

The Spanish ambassador, Senor Riano, has returned to Newport after spending a few days in Washington.

### New Greek Minister.

M. Cassamano has been appointed as Greek minister at this post. The position has been vacant for some time, and the secretary, Alexander Vouros, has been the charge d'affaires since December, 1914. The former minister was Mr. Coromilas, who married Miss Anna Cockrell, daughter of former Senator Cockrell, and with whom he sailed for his home in Greece. He was subsequently given a distinguished position in Athens, and they have never returned to Washington.

Invitations have been received in Washington from Mr. and Mrs. Frank William Bacon for the marriage of their daughter, Alice Lucile, to Walter Scott Penfield, of Washington, Monday evening, October 2, at 8:30 o'clock at St. John's Episcopal Church, Omaha, Neb. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bacon.

Mr. Penfield and his bride will be at home after November 15 at the St. Nicholas, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lombard and their family, who are now at the Shoreham, will motor to New York the end of this week, and will sail for Spain early in October. They will place their younger children in school in Barcelona for two years. Mrs. Lombard will remain with them, and Mr. Lombard will go to Paris and Switzerland on business.

Mrs. Horatio N. Slater and her daughter, Miss Ray Slater, who, after several months spent in Tokyo, Japan, have been in Newport for a short stay, at the Hill Top Inn, have gone to Boston. Mrs. Slater plans to spend next summer in Newport, as she has taken apartments at the Hill Top for next season.

### Hosts at Hot Springs.

Former Secretary of War Lindley M. Garrison and Mrs. Garrison and Senator and Mrs. James A. O'Connor were among the hosts at dinner Saturday night at the Virginia Hot Springs.

Miss Emily Tucker, who is passing the season at her country place near Stockbridge, Mass., has bought an oil painting, "Coming Storm," by Frederic Crowninshield, which was shown in the Stockbridge art show.

Mrs. George Lothrop Bradley entertained at dinner Saturday night in Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Maud Summers sailed from New York today aboard the Scandinavian-American liner Bergensfjord, sailing for Bergen. They are on their way to Moscow, where Mr. Summers will serve as consul.

Joseph W. Bay, formerly United States Senator from Texas, has gone to New York, where he will make a short stay at the Waldorf-Astoria.

## TO WED ARMY OFFICER



MISS MARY REGINA IRWIN, Daughter of Commander and Mrs. William Manning Irwin, Whose Engagement to Lieut. Thomas B. Larkin Has Just Been Announced.

## MISS IRWIN TO WED LIEUT. T. B. LARKIN

Engagement of Society Belle and Engineer Officer of Great Interest to Capital.

The engagement of Miss Mary Regina Irwin, daughter of Commander and Mrs. William Manning Irwin, to Lieut. Thomas B. Larkin, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., which has just been announced, is of unusual interest to society in Washington.

Miss Irwin's family has held a distinguished position in the District of Columbia for several generations and her father and her elder sister, Miss Annie Irwin, have been extremely popular in society since they left the school room.

Lieutenant Larkin is a native of Spokane, Wash., and a graduate of the Military Academy, class of 1915. He has been stationed at Washington Barracks long enough to make many friends in town.

His fiancée made her debut in Paris and spent a season in Stockholm under the chaperonage of her aunt, Mme. Thobaut, wife of the French minister to Sweden. Mme. Thobaut was formerly Miss Regina Barbour.

Commander and Mrs. Irwin and their daughters returned to Washington last winter after spending the past four years in Boston. They are now at Chevy Chase with Mrs. Irwin's brother-in-law and sister, Commander and Mrs. Norton, but will open their home in LeRoy place, October 1.

Their son, Harrison Barbour Irwin, who has been making his home in New York, will come to Washington this winter.

No date has been set for the marriage of Lieutenant Larkin and Miss Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Corcoran Hill returned to Washington last night from Narragansett Pier, where they passed a week. They made a short stay in New York on their way home.

**Engagement Announced.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Conlin announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Yetta Dana Conlin, to Dr. Charles A. Schepke, of Washington, at a buffet supper held at their home yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Edgards M. MacMullen, daughter of Mrs. Cora Morton MacMullen, of this city, and William Latsch Home took place in Butte, Mont., Thursday evening, in St. John's Episcopal Church. After a honeymoon spent in Yellowstone Park, Mr. and Mrs. Home will live in Rimini, Mont., where Mr. Home is superintendent of the Peerless Jennie mine.

Mrs. Clarence is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Appleton, in Ipswich, while Mr. Hay is at Plattsburg.

Melville Church is making a short stay in New York.

Mrs. Alfred G. Howe, wife of Lieutenant Commander Howe, U. S. N., has returned to the Torpedo Station in Newport, after attending the funeral of her mother at Key West. She was accompanied by her brother, John Gregory, of New York, Commander and Mrs. Howe are pleasantly remembered in Washington, where they were stationed for several years. Commander Howe is the son of Brig. Gen. Walter Howe, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Howe, of this city.

### Cites Bible to Prove Right to Beat "Wife"

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 18.—"A man has a perfect right to beat his wife and command her whenever he wants to, for the Bible says so," declared John Fritz of Hillsdale, who was arraigned before Alderman P. J. Martin, of this city, today.  
Fritz argued his proposition to plausibly that his alleged wife, who had him arrested, became alarmed and decided that she was not Fritz's legal wife. This started the alderman, as the couple have been living together for years.  
The woman said she assented to getting a license to marry Fritz, but the matter never went further than this. Fritz vainly sought to protest the marriage was performed, but Alderman Martin ruled that even if this was the case Fritz had no right to beat her with an umbrella and otherwise maltreat her, and the defendant was held in \$200 bail.

## ROBERTS WOULD FIX WEIGHT OF LOAVES

Official Believes Price Should Be Adjusted to Production Cost.

George M. Roberts, Superintendent of Weights, Measures and Markets of the District, in a statement issued today, defining his position with regard to the decrease in weight of bread, said he was in favor of legislation fixing the weight of a loaf at sixteen ounces and compelling the sale of each loaf at 5 cents when increased prices are demanded for flour and other ingredients, would be unfair.  
"By fixing a standard weight, consumers at least would know what they are getting. I am waiting the result of my investigations before taking up with the Commissioners the matter of the proposed legislation."

## BREWERS DIVIDED ON NEAR-BEER PLAN

Those Making One And A Half Per Cent Product For It.

When the conference to which the Excise Board has called the heads of the breweries of the District, is held Saturday, the Commissioners will find some of the brewers, at least, perfectly willing to acquiesce in the board's request that the sale of near-beer be restricted to licensed saloons.  
The invitations to the conference have not yet been sent, but will probably go out tomorrow. Meanwhile the brewers are loath to commit themselves.  
The co-operation that the Commissioners receive will come largely from the breweries manufacturing near-beer averaging about 1 1/2 per cent alcohol. It is expected that the breweries making less than 1 1/2 per cent beer will oppose the restriction of their sales to licensed saloons.

## Says Religion Is Only Cure for Drug Habit

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18.—Religion is the only means of curing the drug habit, according to George Long, who preached a sermon last night on the "dope traffic" at the Inasmuch Mission, 1011 Locust street, of which he is superintendent. Long, according to his own story, was cured by accepting Christianity.  
He said he had learned from leading physicians that the drug habit was a stored men to normal life after medicine failed to help them. His brother, William Long, a colored man, who had been cured by religious influences.

## Bar Country Girls From Dance; Not Enough Style

COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 18.—Mrs. William Patterson, wife of a farmer near here, accompanied by her daughter and two other young girls, called at the police station here and insisted that the girls go to the Eagles' clubrooms and force the managers of a ball there to apologize to the girls.  
Mrs. Patterson said the girls were invited to the ball, but shortly after the manager of the Eagles' clubrooms had called on her and told her that the girls were not to be admitted to the ball and must leave. The police declined to act in the matter.

## Silo Drips, Cows Queer; Were Drunk, Farmer Find

SHARON, Pa., Sept. 18.—Farmer Edward Owen of Sharon township, has a herd of cows. He also owns a silo, which he fills with corn and other food-stuffs for his stock each year. Lately he noticed that the cows had been acting queer, and he was not sure he could not account for the sudden change of temperament.  
The silo of his neighbors straightened the matter out when he explained that the animals were getting "tight" from the drippings of the silo, which contain a percentage of alcohol. Owen shut off the "drips" and the cows pursued the even tenor of their ways.

## Pretty Models at Style Show in New Fashions

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—New styles in millinery, corsets, gowns and dresses were on exhibition here today at the annual autumn convention of the fashion Art League of America.  
"Perfecting the Enslaved" of their corsets and prettiness before delegates of the convention to show their "newness" and how the new styles would be worn.  
The styles ranged from hoops to hobbles and low necks to high. The fashion makers will select the styles from this assortment. A silver loving cup will be presented to the designer of the best made tailored suit.  
Competition for this cup is keen.

## South Dakota Squaws Get in Suffrage Fight

PIERRE, S. D., Sept. 18.—Indian women of this neighborhood have joined the equal rights movement.  
At a fair in Fort Pierre they marched from their teepees, which dotted the hillsides, decked out in "Votes for Women" badges, which a recent suffrage campaign party had impressed on them. The Indian women are taking great interest in the fight to make the State dry in November.

## Can't Marry Daughter Of Father's Half-Sister

DETROIT, Sept. 18.—Laws of Michigan prevented the marriage of a Toledo, Ohio, man to his father's half-sister's daughter.  
A letter signed by J. E. Nickell, of Toledo, addressed to the county auditor here, asked if the State of Michigan would recognize the legality of such a union. Assistant Prosecutor Keldermire in the negative, basing his opinion on the statute prohibiting marriage of cousins of first degree.

## Burchell's "Bouquet" Coffee, 25c lb.

Home-comers and new-comers are invited to try this delightful Coffee.  
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## TWO THOUSAND IN ALEXANDRIA PARADE

Sunday Schools There Give Large Attendance to Gypsy Smith Revival Feature.

ALEXANDRIA, Sept. 18.—The population of this city thronged the streets en masse yesterday afternoon to see the parade of Sunday schools which took place at 3 o'clock. Led by a platoon of police and the American Indian Guard band, the line of march was over Fairfax street to King, up that street to the big tented tabernacle, where an address was delivered by the Rev. Gypsy Smith. A total of 2,500 scholars was in the procession, the various schools being designated by different colors. Delegations were present from Delray. The local branch of the Salvation Army also participated.

Four thousand people attended the revival meeting last night, and it is estimated that at least 2,000 more were turned away because they could not find room in the big tent. The meetings are the chief topic of conversation throughout the city.

John Hanaway, a saloon keeper, was fined \$100 in police court this morning for Police Justice Carter for furnishing beer to minors. Walter Thomas, a colored man, was given a fine of \$25 for carrying a pistol.

Robert E. Knight, Jr., left this morning for the University of Virginia to complete his third year's studies in that institution.

The funeral of Clarence Mills will occur this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Wheatley's Chapel, on King street.

The Alexandria Duckpin League will open the bowling season at the Richmond bowling alley tonight. The Richmond and the Southern Railway teams will contest for supremacy at that time.

## SHE GOT HEART BALM, BUT PAID HIS BOARD

He Wouldn't Settle, So Girl Jailed Him and Footed Bill.

MONROE, Mich., Sept. 18.—After serving sixteen months in the county jail here for refusal to pay a judgment of \$1,000 given in favor of Miss Alvina Labranch, Detroit modiste, in a breach of promise action, Henry Herbert, self-confessed soldier of fortune, is at liberty following an amicable settlement of the case. Herbert is understood to have paid Miss Labranch \$600.

Miss Labranch obtained judgment for \$1,000 in February, 1915, on her suit for \$20,000. When Herbert refused to settle, she caused his arrest and confinement, but he later was required to pay the sheriff of Monroe county \$4.35 weekly for the prisoner's board.

## Three Autoists Held Up And Robbed in Jersey

VINELAND, N. J., Sept. 18.—Three automobilists were held up and robbed on the State road leading from Vineland to Downton yesterday afternoon.  
From one the holdup men took \$75, another \$32, and another \$30. The first heard of the affair was when a Pennsylvania car drove into Newfield more and later a holdup was made on the highway where they were described as two rough looking young men armed with revolvers.

Charles Hartman, a letter carrier of Newfield, headed a posse with shot-guns, and while the men were looking for the thieves a person other than the robbers occurred near Downton. The posse was so eager in pursuit that they forgot to get the names of the men who were robbed while having revolvers shoved under their noses.

## HAIR GRAY? THEN APPLY Q-BAN

It Darkens Gray Hair Evenly.

If your hair is gray, streaked with gray, prematurely or just turning gray or if your hair is dry, harsh, thin or falling, simply shampoo hair and scalp a few times with Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer. Soon every strand of hair (whether gray or not) becomes evenly dark, soft, lustrous, fluffy, full of life and health, full and heavy and fascinating, and entire head of hair is so beautifully and evenly darkened no one could suspect you had applied Q-Ban. It is absolutely harmless and no dye, but Q-ban acts on roots, restoring color glands. Sold on money-back guarantee, 50c for a big bottle at Liggett's Drug Store, Washington, D. C. Out-of-town folks supplied by mail—Advt.

## Used Electric Cars For Sale

A large number of different makes—both open and enclosed types—at reasonable figures.  
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## PIES TOP I. R. T. MENU OF FOOD GIVEN POOR

Loads of Supplies Distributed as Strikebreakers Quit.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Pies—six hundred of them—will find themselves in unfamiliar surroundings at dinner time. They will finish off a meal for poor families in the vicinity of the elevated and subway terminals in the Bronx.  
When the last of the interborough's strikebreakers were discharged at the 72nd terminal at 160th street and Third avenue, and at the end of the subway line at 180th street and Boston Road, quantities of food supplies were distributed to the interborough among the poor of the neighborhood.  
There were wagon loads of bread, several hundred pounds of meat and fish, vegetables and six hundred pies.

## U. S. SENDS DOCTOR TO CURE LAZY SIAM

Will Wage War on Hookworm in Far East.

TOKYO, Japan, Sept. 18.—Dr. R. W. Mendelson, of New York city, is on his way from here to Siam today as a representative of the United States War Department, to take the laziness out of the Siamese by killing off their over-supply of hookworms. The government of Siam asked him to do it.  
After investigating the cause of so much laziness in Siam, the government decided it was the hookworm that caused it, and asked the War Department to send a doctor to set the country right with industry and energy.  
Dr. Mendelson was one of the American physicians sent to Siam to fight the typhus epidemic early in 1915. After the fall of Belgrade he made the retreat across Serbia with the regiment to which he was attached.

## Trunk Maker Wills His Estate to His Employee

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 17.—A faithful employee recently was rewarded for years of toil. His employer, Henry Myers, trunk manufacturer, left him his entire estate of \$2,500 "for his faithful work."

William Lemmer is the lucky man. For seven years he has worked at the manufacture of trunks in the tiny little workshop on North Tenth street. Never complaining, he did his tasks with a song on his lips, and Myers, his employer, of late years had come to depend more and more on him. The business was not large, and for that reason Myers was able to employ only one man.  
September 3 the employer—he was sixty-six—died, and shortly after his will was admitted to probate. The will was drawn up August 1, and it revoked an earlier will in which he left his estate to his wife, Mrs. Myers.

There will be no change in the little trunk factory on North Tenth street. Lemmer will be the sole beneficiary. There will be no change in the little trunk factory on North Tenth street. Lemmer will be the sole beneficiary. There will be no change in the little trunk factory on North Tenth street. Lemmer will be the sole beneficiary.

## Battles With Big Fish.

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## AUTHOR OF JAPANESE NATIONAL HYMN DEAD

German, Franz Eckert, Was Composer of "Kimigayo," the Anthem of Japan.

TOKYO, Sept. 18.—Franz Eckert, composer of the music of the Japanese national anthem, is dead. The authorship of the "Kimigayo," Japan's Star-Spangled Banner, is disputed, but Japanese authorities admit this Toulon had a claim upon the song's composition.  
Eckert, it is known here today, died recently in Seoul, Korea. He was sixty-four. When foreign music first was introduced into Japan in 1877 he was one of the leaders in establishing its popularity in Tokyo and other leading cities of the empire.  
At first Eckert was attached to the navy office but later was transferred to court, where he succeeded an American named Fenton as chief of the western music of the court.  
In 1879 a number of compositions, from which one was to be selected as the national anthem of Japan, were submitted to the court musicians. According to one story, Eckert picked one written by a Japanese, "retouched" it, and sent it forth as the national anthem. It is generally conceded, however, that the greater part of the music was written by the German himself.

## NOT RICH, YET SHE HAS MONEY TO BURN

Mrs. Howley Lights Gas With Bills When No Tapers Are Handy.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—"Yes, I may have lighted the gas with one or two dollar bills, but it was only when there wasn't any other paper handy."  
This, in effect, was the response of Mrs. Eleanor Howley to an assertion of her husband, Thomas, to Judge Thomas H. Beall in the domestic relations court in Yonkers.  
Mr. Howley made the assertion by way of answer to his wife's complaint that he had been "mean and abusive" to her. He illustrated his testimony by waving a charred bill.  
"This is what is left of one of those she lighted the gas with," said he. Judge Beall advised Mrs. Howley to be a trifle more careful with the family bankroll, and the couple were sent home in peace and money burningsness.

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